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RESPONSE

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

This is in response to the October 25, 1999 Office Action having a one month term for  
reply.

REMARKS

Reconsideration and withdrawal of the restriction requirement or at least a reformulation  
of the restriction requirement are respectfully requested in view of the remarks herewith.

The restriction requirement called for an election from among:

- Group I: Claims 1-21, 29-31, 34-43, 47, drawn to polypeptides and uses thereof, classified  
in class 514, subclass 2.
- Group II: Claims 22-28, 32-33, and 50, drawn to polynucleotides and uses thereof,  
classified in class 514, subclass 44.
- Group III: Claims 44-46 and 48-49, drawn to antibodies and uses thereof, classified in class  
424, subclass 184.1.

Group I, claims 1-21, 29-31, 34-43 and 47, drawn to polypeptides and uses thereof, are  
elected, with traverse.